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Title:

HYBRID SYSTEM WITH A CONTROLLABLE

FUNCTION OF VARIABLE SPEED TRANSMISSION

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop – Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner issued a non-final Office Action dated 19 September 2005 in the above-referenced Patent Application. In that Office Action, the Examiner set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply. The reply period having now expired, a Request and fee for a one-month Extension of Time are concurrently filed herewith to ensure timely filing.

An interview of the Examiner was conducted by the undersigned Attorney at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on 11 January 2006. Responsive to the 19 September 2005 Office Action and the discussions had at the interview, please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

An Appendix including a Replacement Sheet of drawing is attached following page 17 of this paper.